Drinking water supply in R.U. Blocks, Pitampura, Delhi

1443. SHRI M. A. BABY : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that MIG flats—HUDCO pattern, in R.U. Blocks, Pitampura, Delhi were allotted on Hire Purchase basis about eight months ago and the allottees are regularly paying the instalments since then;

(b) whether it is a fact that so far no water supply has been given to the colony, if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) by when the water supply is likely to be provided ;

(d) whether it is a fact that such allotments are made and instalments commenced after civic amenities are provided; and

(e) whether the instalments in the instant case are to commence after water supply is given and instalments already paid are to be adjusted towards them ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a) Yes, Sir. Some of the allottees have paid instalments as per terms and conditions of allotments.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Water supply is already available though the pressure is low. Bigger diameter water connection is being obtained from MCD by DDA which will improve water pressure for the upper floor allottees.

(d) and (e) where after date of draw possession cannot be given due to some completion, non-supply of water, electricity etc. interest is allowed on the amount of registration and on the amount paid towards the cost of the flat upto the date of completion.

Instalments commence one month after the date of completion in all respects. The amount of instalment already paid is adjusted against the future instalments.

Bridges on Yamuna in Delhi

1444. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether progress has been made in the construction of the two bridges on the Yamuna connecting Noida and Delhi; and

(b) what are the details of the two projects with cost thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a) and (b) The Delhi Administration has informed that the Bridge-cum Barrage connecting NOIDA and South Delhi has been constructed by the Government of Uttar Pradesh. The other proposed bridge over Yamuna connecting NOIDA and Delhi (Maharani Bagh) has not been included in the Revised Master Plan, prepared by D.D.A.

Commercial channel on Doordarshan

1445. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to introduce a commercial channel on Doordarshan; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?